

***IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE***

Applicant: Amine Abina

Title: Method of Modulating  
 Neutralizing Antibodies Formation  
 in Mammals, and Uses Thereof in  
 Gene Therapy, Animal  
 Transgenesis and in Functional  
 Inactivation of an Endogenous  
 Protein(s)

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**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

Commissioner for Patents  
 Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- [ X ] Small Entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a Small Entity statement previously submitted.
- [ ] Small Entity statement is enclosed.
- [ X ] The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

	Claims as Amended	Previously Paid For	Extra Claims Present	Rate	Additional Claims Fee
Total Claims:	241	—	57	= 184 x \$9.00 =	\$1,656.00
Independents:	9	—	5	= 4 x \$42.00 =	\$168.00
First presentation of any Multiple Dependent Claims:				+ \$140.00 =	\$0.00
				CLAIMS FEE TOTAL: =	\$1,824.00

- [ X ] Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Extension for response filed within the first month:	\$55.00	\$55.00
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		EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:	\$55.00
		CLAIMS AND EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:	\$1,824.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):		\$0.00
		TOTAL FEE:	\$1,879.00

- Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0741 in the amount of \$1,879.00. A duplicate copy of this transmittal is enclosed.
- A check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

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Respectfully submitted,

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- Amendment Transmittal (2 pgs.);
- Amendment (22 (w/att App A-B);
- Petition for Extension of Time (1 pg.);

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